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Title : Compression Ignition Internal Combustion Engine

**REPLY UNDER 37 CFR §1.111**

**Mail Stop AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

The following remarks are respectfully submitted in response to the Office Action dated May 7, 2008.

**Remarks** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Verified Translation of Priority Document** following the Remarks.